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# NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

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Applicant hereby appeals to the Board from a decision of the primary Examiner mailed **June 15, 2005** finally rejecting claims 1-6 and 11-19. A Response to Final Office Action is being filed herewith.

The items checked below are appropriate:

#### 1. STATUS OF APPLICANT

This application is on behalf of other than a small entity.

#### 2. FEE FOR FILING NOTICE OF APPEAL

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.17(b) the fee for filing the Notice of Appeal is:

other than a small entity \$500.00

#### 3. EXTENSION OF TERM

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## 4. TOTAL FEES DUE

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# 5. **METHOD OF PAYMENT**

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Respectfully submitted,

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